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Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100
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Re: Application of Chester Telephone Company, Lockhart Telephone Company, and Ridgeway Telephone Company, All d/b/a TruVista Communications for Alternative Regulation Plan (Section 58-9-576 of the South Carolina Code of Laws).

Docket No. 2007-153-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

The Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") has reviewed the above-referenced matter. Upon receiving and reviewing additional information concerning wireless coverage in the Ridgeway Telephone Company's service area, ORS confirms that documentation provided by Chester Telephone Company, Lockhart Telephone Company, and Ridgeway Telephone Company all doing business as TruVista Communications supports the companies' qualification for election of alternative regulation as set out in Section 58-9-576 of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

Additionally, the plan as described in the filing comports with the alternative regulation provisions as set out in Section 58-9-576 (B) of the South Carolina Code of Laws. Therefore, ORS does not oppose the request in the referenced matter.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

C. Lessie Hammonds

cc: Margaret M. Fox, Esquire